

**MDES**  
**Increasing Employment in Mississippi**

**Occupational Employment and Wages**  
**Gulport-Biloxi MSA**  
**May 2005 Panel**

SOC Code	SOC Title	Employment (1)	Average Hourly	Average Annual	Entry Hourly	Entry Annual	Experienced Hourly	Experienced Annual
<b>31-0000</b>	<b>Healthcare Support Occupations</b>	<b>2,190</b>	<b>\$10.11</b>	<b>\$21,030</b>	<b>\$7.04</b>	<b>\$14,630</b>	<b>\$11.65</b>	<b>\$24,230</b>
31-1011	Home Health Aides	140	\$9.11	\$18,960	\$7.24	\$15,060	\$10.05	\$20,910
31-1012	Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants	1,250	\$9.54	\$19,850	\$6.85	\$14,240	\$10.89	\$22,650
31-1013	Psychiatric Aides	30	\$8.04	\$16,720	\$7.61	\$15,840	\$8.25	\$17,160
31-2021	Physical Therapist Assistants	50	\$17.55	\$36,500	\$13.97	\$29,060	\$19.34	\$40,220
31-2022	Physical Therapist Aides	60	\$8.97	\$18,660	\$7.59	\$15,780	\$9.67	\$20,110
31-9011	Massage Therapists	50	\$8.39	\$17,440	\$5.94	\$12,360	\$9.61	\$19,980
31-9091	Dental Assistants	150	\$11.27	\$23,440	\$9.37	\$19,490	\$12.22	\$25,410
31-9092	Medical Assistants	190	\$10.80	\$22,460	\$8.28	\$17,220	\$12.06	\$25,080
31-9094	Medical Transcriptionists	100	\$11.01	\$22,910	\$9.65	\$20,070	\$11.70	\$24,330
31-9095	Pharmacy Aides	N/A	\$6.48	\$13,480	\$5.79	\$12,040	\$6.83	\$14,210
31-9099	Healthcare Support Workers, All Other	110	\$13.90	\$28,910	\$8.83	\$18,360	\$16.44	\$34,190